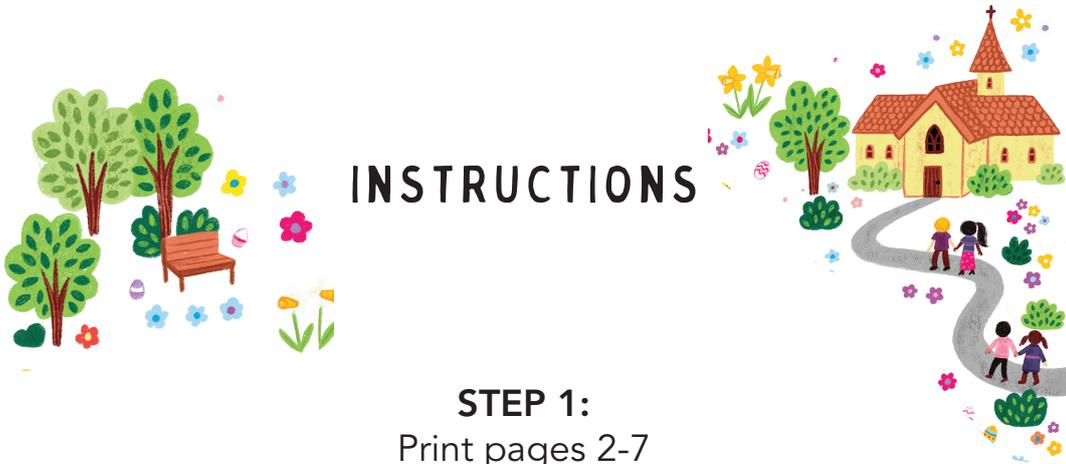


TRUTHS ABOUT JESUS ACTIVITY



INSTRUCTIONS

STEP 1:

Print pages 2-7
(you don't need page 1 for the activity!)

STEP 2:

Cut out the cards along the solid lines. Then fold them along the dotted lines. You could use glue to hold the two sides together if you like. You may need an adult to help you.

STEP 3:

If you'd like to, add your own decorations to the cards. You could color them in, add stickers to them, or maybe use some glitter. Decorate them however you like!

STEP 4:

Find some string and hang this in your home.
You may need an adult to help you.

STEP 5:

Find some clothespins and use these to attach your cards to the string.

STEP 6:

Each day, you can hang up a new card to learn a new truth about Jesus and a short explanation about it.

TRUTH



DAY 1
**JESUS IS THE
RESCUER**

Adam and Eve believed Satan's lie and sin broke God's perfect world. But God promised a Rescuer to crush the serpent and free our hearts from his lies!



DAY 3

**JESUS MAKES US
GOD'S CHILDREN**

God promised Abram a big family. If we could count the stars, we'd know how big that family is! Those who trust in Jesus become God's children.



DAY 5

**JESUS IS
OUR PRIEST**

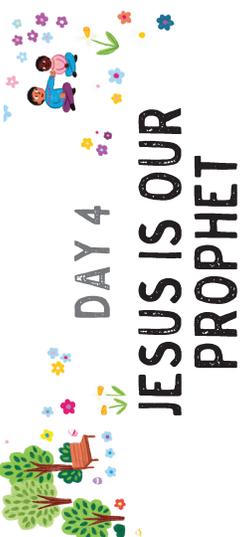
Aaron showed God's family how to come closer to God. But Jesus was better. He came to mend our broken friendship with God forever.



DAY 2

JESUS KEEPS US SAFE

When God judged the world's evil, he kept Noah's family safe in the ark. All of us have evil in our hearts, but Jesus took our punishment to keep us safe forever.



DAY 4

**JESUS IS OUR
PROPHET**

Moses spoke God's true words. But Jesus's words are even more special. Jesus is God himself! His words speak life into our hearts.

EXPLANATION

TRUTH



JESUS IS OUR KING DAY 9

King David wanted to build a house for God. But God had a better plan. David's son's son's ... son would be King Jesus!



JESUS MAKES US NEW DAY 8

Enemy nations had cut down God's family. Now it was like an old stump. But Jesus was like a new shoot. He makes us new forever!



JESUS IS OUR HERO DAY 10

Had God left his people forever? No! God promised that Jesus would be a victorious Hero. He would win the battle and defeat the serpent.



JESUS DIED FOR OUR GOOD DAY 7

Sometimes God uses hard things to bring us back to him. He even sent his Son to die for us. God planned Jesus's death for our good.



JESUS GAVE US FORGIVENESS DAY 6

No matter how hard we try, sin stains our hearts. But God sent Jesus to take our punishment and give us forever forgiveness.

EXPLANATION

TRUTH

JESUS GIVES US LIGHT AND LIFE

DAY 11

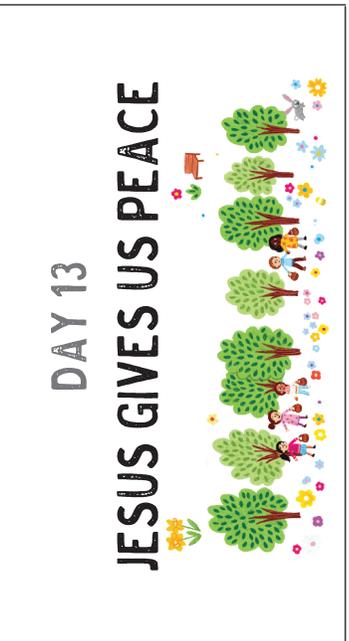


God sent John to get his family ready to meet Jesus. But people didn't want Jesus. The truth is, if we believe in Jesus, he makes our hearts alive!

EXPLANATION

JESUS GIVES US PEACE

DAY 13



God's people wanted a king to defeat their enemy. They didn't see that their sin was a bigger enemy. Jesus gives us what is best: peace with God.

JESUS GIVES US TRUE HAPPINESS

DAY 12



Mary poured out costly perfume on Jesus's feet to show how much she loved him. She knew true happiness comes from him.

JESUS PROVES WE CAN TRUST GOD

DAY 15



Judas trusted money more than he trusted Jesus. But God carried out his plan through Judas. Jesus proves we can trust God always.

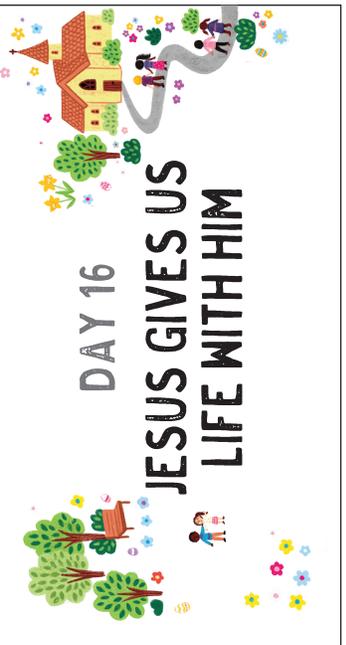
JESUS LIVES IN US

DAY 14



Jesus made the money-changers leave the temple. The true temple is Jesus: we meet with God through him! He makes our hearts his home.

TRUTH



DAY 16 JESUS GIVES US LIFE WITH HIM

Jesus's blood and broken body fill us with his life. We can get to know him and live with him now and forever.

EXPLANATION

DAY 18 JESUS HELPS US IN TEMPTATION



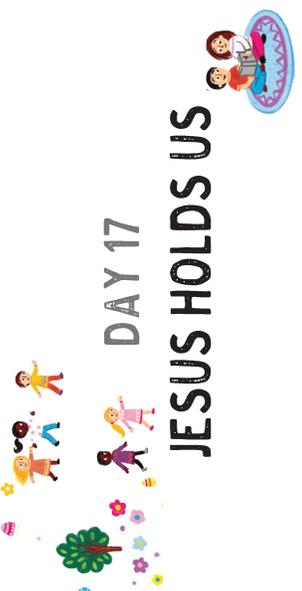
On the night before Jesus died, his heart broke. But he obeyed his Father and said "No" to all the serpent's lies. Now Jesus helps us when we are tempted.

DAY 20 JESUS GIVES US FORGIVENESS



The religious leaders thought they could be good on their own. But everyone needs God's forgiveness. Jesus gives us forgiveness as a gift.

DAY 17 JESUS HOLDS US



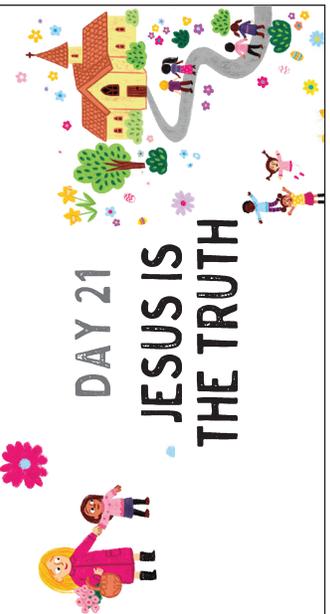
Peter thought his faith was strong enough to hold on to Jesus, but he was wrong. We always need Jesus's help. He's the one who holds on to us.

DAY 19 JESUS FOLLOWED GOD'S PLAN



Peter didn't understand God's plan for Easter. But Jesus knew God's plan was best. He followed God's plan for us.

TRUTH



"What is truth?" asked Pontius Pilate.
The answer is: Jesus is the truth! He gets everything right. We can know God through Jesus.

EXPLANATION

JESUS IS OUR HIDING PLACE



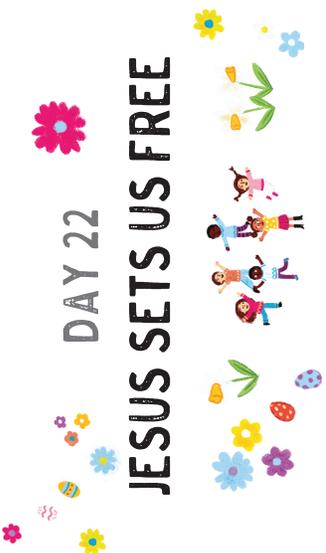
Jesus told the women to cry for themselves, not him. God is going to pour out his strong and right anger against sin! But Jesus rescues everyone who believes in him.

JESUS PAID FOR SIN FULLY



Jesus said, "It is finished!" He paid for all our sin. God fully forgives everyone who repents and trusts in Jesus.

JESUS SETS US FREE



Like Barabbas, all of us can be set free because of what Jesus did on the cross. Now we are truly free—free not to sin. God sets us free to live for him!

JESUS OPENS THE WAY TO HEAVEN



The repentant criminal knew that Jesus decides who goes to heaven. He asked Jesus to take him there. No one's sins are too big for God to forgive!

TRUTH



DAY 28



JESUS PLANNED OUR JOY



DAY 30



JESUS CHANGES EVERYTHING

JESUS RESCUES US FROM DEATH

DAY 26



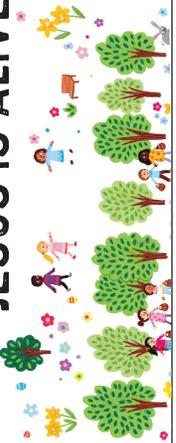
Jesus's friends didn't recognize him. Then they did! One day we will hear Jesus speak words of life to us, too. Happiness will fill our hearts!

Jesus's friends watched him go up to heaven. But soon he would come back to live in them through the Holy Spirit. God's Spirit changes our hearts.

Joseph buried Jesus's body, but death could not hold Jesus! He broke death's power. Now death cannot hold us either.

DAY 27

JESUS IS ALIVE



DAY 29

JESUS HELPS US TELL OTHERS



EXPLANATION

Suddenly the women heard Jesus's voice. He wasn't dead anymore. Easter had come! Now they knew that all Jesus's words are true.

God makes his children ready to share the good news of Jesus with others. But only the Holy Spirit can open hearts to believe. Jesus helps us tell his good news.